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NEWS AND VIEWS

Flight Lieut. Jas. Glen has returned to duty at the front.

Mrs. H. R. Baxter and daughter left for Bremerton, Wash., on Monday.

On Saturday last Bert Hassard and Buck Johnston left for Vancouver to report for service overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Johnston expect to leave for the coast shortly, where they contemplate spending the winter.

Mrs. F. S. Stevens left for Bend, Ore., on Monday, where she will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. F. R. Prince.

It is estimated that the war will cost the United States more than twelve billion dollars this year, and another twelve billion for the year 1918.

Presbyterian Ladies' Aid bazaar on Dec. 8th, in K. of P. Hall. Fancy work, plain needlework, home-baking, ranchers' stall, candy and afternoon tea.

Mr. and Mrs. Jamieson, of Deep Creek, received word Wednesday that their son, Pte. James, had been reported missing in the casualties from the front.

Two more days in which to push the Enderby District subscriptions over the $30,000 mark. Buy your Victory Bond now—if you haven't already done so.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McCurdy, of Kelowna, are visiting the home of Mr. McCurdy's old schoolmate, Mr. W. J. Fenton. They were boys together 55 years ago—and are boys still when they get together.

Mrs. Hezekiah Elliott received a letter from her son, Pte. Frank Elliott, now a prisoner of war in Germany, stating that he is in good health and is being well cared for.

Harry Baxter paid a visit to his parents between trains on Thursday last, returning that evening to Golden, where he is surveyor for the big mining company of that town.

An effort is to be made to have the latest election returns received on the evening of the 17th, and K. of P. Hall will be engaged for a general coming together of men of all parties.

A united Presbyterian and Methodist service will be held in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening next, to be conducted by the Rev. R. W. Lee. A hearty invitation is extended to all.

A quiet wedding was celebrated at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Hoffman, Grindrod, on Monday, when their daughter, Miss Margaret was married to Mr. M. Dangel, late of Revelstoke, Rev. J. A. Dow officiating.

The Woman's Auxiliary of St. George's Church held a very successful bazaar in K. P. Hall last Saturday afternoon, the gross receipts from the sale of home cooking, sewing, candies, teas, ranch stall, etc., being $169.

Station Agent Burnham is enjoying a week's holiday, and Ex-Agent A. B. Currie, of Salmon Arm, is taking his place. Mr. Burnham recently purchased the English property on Evergreen avenue and he is taking advantage of his holiday to look over the acreage.

The annual meeting of the Enderby and District Conservative Assocation will be held in K. of P. Hall on the afternoon of election day, Monday, Dec. 17th, for the election of officers and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

Mrs. A. Glen and her son, Sub-Lieut. Kenneth, left on a visit to Vancouver Wednesday evening. It is their intention, after spending a week or so at the coast, to leave on a visit to friends and relatives in the Northwest, Lieut. Glen proceeding thence on return duty at the front in the Royal Flying Corps.

F. T. Turner, who has had the fixing up of the Mara school, owing to the default of the contractor, finished the job last week, and, in the judgment of Mr. Owen, secretary of the Mara school board, he deserves great credit for the satisfactory work done by him. The repair work was under the supervision of Mr. Dever, assistant engineer of public works.

Mr. E. B. Huffman returned this week from Sasketchewan points, where he spent a portion of the summer. He reports the district which he left five years ago, then opened by a wagon road of fifty miles to Moosejaw, now the centre of several well-built towns with railway accommodations in all directions. The country is in a most prosperous condition, with big crops and work for everybody.

Writing from Loma, Mont., Mr. J. R. Gifford says: "We often think of our Enderby friends and have been much interested in reading of their doings in the Press. . . . My health is much better now, although I am not entirely well as yet. . . . We like it here very well. It certainly is a great change from office work, and I enjoy the out-of-door life. I often think I am better than I am and overtax my strength, which sets me back again. Kind regards to all friends."

Shortly before 1 o'clock last Friday the alarm of fire was given for a blaze in the barn at the rear of the E. C. Wheeler residence, on Baird lane. The hosecarts were on the scene as soon as it was possible to get them there, but not in time to save anything of the burning building. The adjoining buildings belonging to Mr. Wheeler as well as those of Mr. Skejie, in the next lot were saved in the nick of time. The origin of the fire is not known.

No time to lose—order your private Christmas greeting cards now, at The Press office.

Corpl. G. Basil Brown Killed

Mrs. Tompkins received the heart-breaking word on Thursday last that her son, Corpl. G. Basil Brown was killed in action. Corpl. Brown was only 19 years of age, but in his brief life of soldiery had won distinction for bravery and that indomitable spirit which had characterized him since early boyhood. He was awarded the military medal some time ago for distinguished service, and was rapidly climbing upward in the service. He was the grandson of our esteemed citizens, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown. As a boy he was better known at Penticton than in Enderby, having spent some years at the southern Okanagan town before Mrs. Tomkins moved to Enderby when her husband, then in newspaperwork at Rossland, signed on for military service. In an early engagement of the Canadians in Belgium, Mr. and Mrs. Brown lost a son in action. They have a second son now at the front. Mrs. Tomkins has another son in the service, and her husband, now a lieutenant. The deep sympathy of the community goes out to her in the great affliction that only a mother can feel.

Canada's Victory Loan has already overreached the $150,000,000 mark. It is now over the $200,000,000 figure, and, by the end of the week it is expected will reach $300,000,000.

HOW many Victory Bonds have you bought?

Have you put yourself to any real inconvenience to buy Victory Bonds?

Have you denied yourself some purely personal gratification, so that you could invest the money saved in Victory Bonds?

Have you realized the urgent need for personal self-sacrifice to make the Victory Loan a great success?

Until you have bought Victory Bonds to the very limit of your ability, you have not done your duty.

Campaign Closes Saturday Night

What Answer Will You Give?

Issued by Canada's Victory Loan Committee in co-operation with the Minister of Finance of the Dominion of Canada.

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LATEST WAR BULLETIN

Action on all fronts the past week have not changed the standing of the armies in any marked degree. Enemy forces in Italy have met powerful opposition where he is endeavoring to turn the flank of the Italian armies, and military men believe they see the beginning of the end of the enemy offensive in that locality. British and French forces have arrived on the Italian front, and it is believed the critical period on that front has passed.

On the Western front the British forces have strengthened their position on a front recently taken in the vicinity of Cambrai, and the enemy is being slowly forced to evacuate his lines.

Armstrong Minstrels Coming

Manager Bobb announces that he has arranged to bring to the Enderby Opera House on Thursday evening, December 6th, the Armstrong Minstrels, a musical organization recently formed in our sister town which is said to give one of the brightest evening's entertainment it has been our good fortune to see and hear. They gave a performance in Armstrong the past week in aid of the Red Cross and Trench Comfort Funds, and it was one of the most successful and enjoyable affairs ever held there. So worthy was the performance that the minstrels have been asked to play in Vernon, as well as Enderby. Always ready to assist any worthy cause, Mr. J. M. Wright says the minstrels will come to Enderby and play under the auspices of the local Red Cross and Trench Comfort associations, and all arrangements have been made accordingly. Remember the date, Thursday, Dec. 6th.

Chautauqua Artists

A number of the public spirited citizens of Vernon have guaranteed a sum of money sufficient to induce the artists on the Chautauqua Circuit to come to Vernon and give six performances, two each day, on December 14-15-17. This means that we shall be able to hear at a nominal figure the cream of entertainers on the Chautauqua Circuit, which means the best on the road. An effort is being made to provide a special train to run from Sicamous and return on one night of the series of performances, to accommodate the people from this end of the Valley. If this effort is successful it will mean a large crowd will attend from Enderby, Armstrong, and way points.

All proceeds over and above the cost of bringing the aggregation of artists to the Valley, will be turned over by the businessmen putting up the guarantee to the Red Cross and other patriotic funds.

Agricultural Class in School

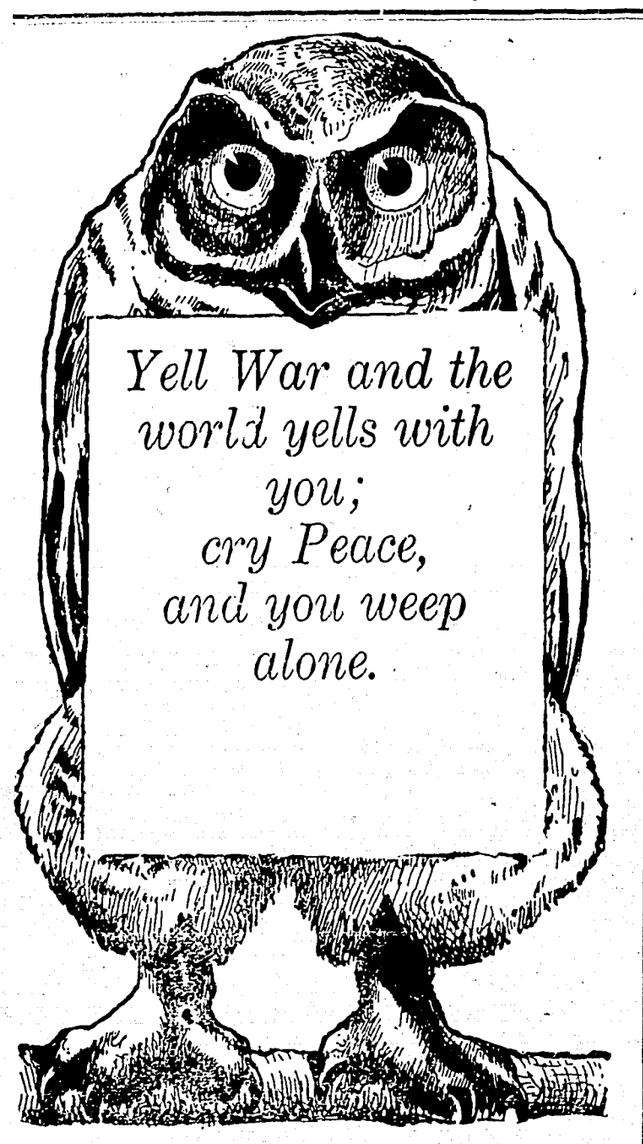
Prof. J. C. Britton, teacher of the agricultural branch just started in our public school, reports that most favorable progress has been made here, and he looks forward to having a fine class of sterling pupils in the Enderby school. He desires to have the co-operation of parents in the work, believing that in this way the advancement of the boys and girls can be made so much more rapid. He says the condition of the world today, and the great losses of young men, must make it imperative that the school boys and girls of today will have to take on responsibilities far in advance of their years, and for this reaon the work of preparing them cannot be made too rapid.

Enderby Boys Come Home

Pte. Jas. J. Mowat and Pte. Harry Halliday, came in from the military hospital at the coast on Monday. Both were wounded in action some month ago, and were sent home with the last contingent of convalescents for Canada. The gallant young fellows are looking well, and show the good effects of the thoroughness of the Canadian military hospital system. Pte. Halliday went down the line to Vernon while Pte. Mowat will spend a few weeks at his Enderby home.

District Poultry Show

Poultrymen are reminded that the District Poultry Show is to be held at Armstrong, Thursday and Friday next, Dec. 6-7. Prize lists are now available, and may be had either from the secretary, at Armstrong, or from Mr. G. H. Smedley, Enderby. Entries close on Dec. 5. The keenest competition is looked for at this show, as there will be entries from the Provincial show at Kamloops, and from the Penticton show.



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BUY A BOND TO-DAY

Enderby district has done remarkably well in subscribing to Canada's Victory Loan. It will more than reach the $25,000 mark set for it by the provincial organization having in hand the selling of the Bonds in British Columbia. These figures do not represent a very large slice of the total bond issue of $150,000,000, but they do represent a lot of earnest, loyal work on the part of the authorized canvassers, and the patriotic co-operation of the people at large. We do not have what one could call any heavy investors in this district. Many had to stretch a point in order to buy even one bond, while others, perhaps, found it less inconvenient to invest $500 or $1,000.

Only two days remain in which to buy a Victory Bond if you have not already made your purchase. The campaign closes Saturday night, December 1st. There is yet time for Enderby district to reach the $30,000 mark. The investment is as safe as the Dominion; it bears 5½ per cent interest, and the bonds are exempt from any Dominion tax. When you buy a Victory Bond at $50 you furnish 500 rounds of ammunition for the boys at the front. A lot of our brave men have spent months in the training camps before going to France, and have been put out of action before firing a shot at the enemy. In buying your Victory Bond you furnish 500 shots at the enemy. Get behind the men behind the guns!

FOOD OR MEN—WHICH?

When the military powers took in hand the conscripting of the manpower of England, the supreme demand was for men, men, men. And men were taken from the farms and factories, and these industries crippled materially. Then came the cry for food, and there was a shortage of men in the fields and factories. And what was done? Farm helpers and experienced mechanics were taken from the trenches and training camps and put back to work in the fields and factories from which they never should have been taken.

We wonder if there is not danger of our military authorities making a similar mistake in Canada? Sir Robert Borden is quoted as saying in an address in one of the eastern provinces that it was not the intention of the military act to take from the farms the help absolutely necessary to keep up the production end. But we fear this is being done in too many cases right here in the Okanagan. The labor problem is becoming more serious than most people are prepared to admit. Farmers are reducing the work on their farms because they cannot hire men to help them. And in some cases young men are being drafted who have had the sole responsibility of keeping the farms operating the past year or two. There does not appear to be any uniform policy followed by the exemption boards in this or other provinces. Few if any exemptions were allowed in the Okanagan for agricultural reasons. Perhaps this is accounted for by the fact that most of the farm produce from this district is sold locally and does not enter into the export market. In any case, the action of the exemption board in failing to consider the requirements of the farm, will most certainly be felt when next season's harvest is garnered. At the same time it is affording the Chinese just the opportunity they have been hoping for these many years. It is giving them the lead in production for our markets, which must eventually mean the freezing out of the white truck farmer. It is all very well to say what is Canada's patriotic duty in the way of sending reinforcements to the front, but we cannot go beyond the limit and at the same time carry on at home. What did England do when it was found she needed her farm workers, and mine workers, and experienced mechanics at home? Were they left in the trenches and their places at home filled up by Chinese, bohunks, and the like? They were not. They were taken out of the trenches and brought home. And since then thousands of coolies have been sent half way round the world to France to do the work behind the lines.

WHAT ITALIAN REVERSE MEANS

One can hardly over estimate what it would mean to the Allies if they could retake from the enemy that part of Italy recently overrun. And, by the same token, we can hardly over estimate what it will mean to the enemy if he proves able to hold the line across the Venetian Plains, even if he should not gain another foot of territory from the Italians. Looked at only from the point of view of cereal production for Italy, and what it will mean if the enemy forces are to plant and harvest these fertile plains instead of Italian forces, and the seriousness of the situation looms big. With Russia making peace, and the enemy permitted to send his agents throughout that vast empire for foodstuffs, and with the Venetian Plains in his hands, he will soon remedy the food situation for himself, if it is at all serious. And what he takes from Italy to make the situation better for himself, he takes at the expense of Italy and her allies. And Italy's normal wheat production was something over one hundred and fifty million bushels annually —some 25,000,000 more than the total production of Canada. And most of this wheat came from the Venetian Plains. The territory already taken by the enemy from Italy formerly supported a population of three millions, one-tenth of the total population of that empire. These facts must not be lost sight of when consideration is given to the importance of any advance the Allied forces might make in Italy.

The reverses on the Eastern front this year must accentuate the food problem for the Allies, and make it all the more imperative on Canada to increase the wheat production next year. The failure of crops in Texas this year, cotton, wheat, and all farm produce, owing to drought, also adds to the seriousness of the situation for next year. It is estimated that the loss to Texas agriculturists this season already amounts to more than four hundred millions, and cattle are now being carried by trainloads from that state to adjoining states to be fed for the winter.

This all means that Canada must do better next year than she did this year.

ELECTRIC SERVICE OF THE FUTURE

Perhaps there is no man better able to discuss the future of electric service than Dr. Charles P. Steinmetz, expert of the General Electric Company, with mammoth electric plants in all parts of the United States, and subsidiary companies in Canada and other parts of the world. In an article in the Public Ledger, of Philadelphia, of recent date, Dr. Steinmetz says:

"When we use nothing but electrical power for heating as well as for other purposes, the supply will come through transmission lines from big central stations of many million horsepower. These stations will be located wherever power is available, such as waterfalls, coal-mines, and oil and gas wells. This will do away with the wasteful process of hauling coal from the mines to the relatively small power-houses scattered all over the country. It may be that at the coal mines, instead of taking out the coal and burning it the way we do now, power will be generated in the mine itself by setting the coal in the veins on fire. No—this is not beyond the dream of possibility. It has already been seriously proposed by an eminent English scientist. Startling will be the changes effected by such a supply of electricity. Electrical power will be used so generally that it is very likely the cost will be on the basis of a tax, like our water tax. For example, so much a plug, as we are now charged so much a faucet. It will be very cheap and it will not pay to install meters and have them read and keep the accounts in the offices of the electric companies. Today water is used universally, and no one would think of making a charge to a friend or even a stranger for any amount of it. If you make a call in your electric vehicle, the vehicle will be run into your friend's basement and the batteries will be charged while you are making your call. It won't make any difference whether you get your electric current from your friend's plug or from the plug in your own home —the tax will remain the same."

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Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent of sub-Agent of the district in which rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal sub-divisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of $5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights as may be considered necessary for the working of the mine, at the rate of $10 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy Minister of the Interior.

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Better order some now

Food Problem Becomes More Serious

Controller Hoover's Views

In a statement dealing with the world food situation Mr. Hoover U.S. Food Administrator, said:

"If we can produce such economies in consumption and such stimulation of production in the U.S. and Canada as will enable us to help the Allies to live without sending a ship farther afield than our Atlantic seaboard, we can resist the submarine indefinitly.

"The Canadian and U.S. supplies of wheat, upon a normal basis, fall approximately 350,000,000 bu. short of the Allies' nees. If we can increase the export by 150,000,000 bu. we will have reduced the deficiency to 200,000,000 bu. This we could do if we would eat one pound less of wheat flour per week and 1 pound of cornmeal instead.

"The farmer who works overtime and the consumer who economizes in his consumption are fighting the submarine with a positive and sure weapon.

"The production of more fats is today a critical necessity for the preservation of these people and the maintenance of their constancy in the war. A pound of fat is of as much service as a bullet, and each hog is of greater value to the winning of this war than a shell.

"Every spadeful of earth turned by the farmer and every animal reared is lessening human suffering and guaranteeing the future liberty of the world."

Waste Means Starvation

The Food Controller is aware that in many homes in Canada considerable economies in food have been effected since the war began. In many other homes high prices of food have compelled the utmost economy in selection and apportionment to the members of the family. The Food Controller aims that there be sufficient food for the people at prices which are no higher than necessary under present conditions of supply and cost of production.

Seventy per cent of the people of Canada are as thrifty as any. They consume little or no more than is necessary to mantain their physical strength. The Food Controller does not ask them to reduce their consumption but he does ask them to substitute other foods for wheat, beef and bacon which are needed by the soldiers overseas. There is still a considerable minority of the people of Canada who can reduce their consumption of food by simpler living. Elimination of waste is a patriotic service to which the most humble and the most prosperous can contribute. It is no exaggeration to say that every ounce of waste is a contribution to starvation.

Only Class 1 for the Front

The attention of those who are included in class 1 is directed to the importance of the category in which they have been classed. It is only men who have been included in category A who can be called to the trenches. As men coming in categories B, C, D, E are not fit for this service there is no likelihood of their being drafted. The best service they can give the state is in Canada. This statment is considered necessary as they may be misled by the certificate which states that they are exempt until men of their categories are required.

Didn't Look Fair

Mollie had been to church for the first time, and on her return home her mother asked her what she thought of it.

"I liked it very much," she replied: 'but there was one thing I didn't think was fair."

"What was that, dear?"

"Why one man did all the work and then another came around and got all the money."

What Controller Hanna Says

W. J. Hanna, Canadian Food Contoller, says:

"Recent developments in Europe, official correspondence, and the crop estimates make it plain that the world food situation is serious beyond anything we could see a few months ago. Unless we make some sacrifice in our eating and rigorously guard against waste, we may find the conclusive victory of our armies endangered

"Reports of the crops of France and Italy show that we shall be called upon to conserve every ounce of food to make the shortage of our Allies. Temporary disaster has overtaken the Italians and it will be necessary to support them to the utmost by rushing food shipments. The requirements of Great Britain will be much larger than last year. We must ensure the women and children of France against terrible suffering and make sure that the Allied cause will not be weakened by shortage of essential food supplies.

"The situation is grave and the people of Canada must realize that the Allies are depending on North America far more than ever before. The Canadian farmer has done his part by harvesting a splendid crop. Plans have been laid for greater production next year. But until the next harvest, the only means of increasing the exportable surplus is for the consumer to do his duty. The efficiency of the Allies will be impaired unless Canada awakens to the seriousness of the food problem. There rests upon us a tremendous responsibility—perhaps for the very issue of the war.

Canada's Area of Fall Wheat

The area estimated by the census department at Ottawa to be sown to fall wheat for the season of 1918 is 711,112 acres or 4 p.c. less than the area sown in 1916 for the crop of 1917; in Ontario the hard and dry condition of the soil made it difficult to sow fall wheat, and the area estimated to be sown is about 4 p.c. less than last year. In Alberta there is shown to be a slight increase, or 61,384 acres as compared with 60,776 acres. There are also small areas sown to fall wheat in Manitoba, 4,129 acres, Saskatchewan 11,883 acres and British Columbia 3,476 acres. The condition of fall wheat on October 31 for all Canada is 80 p.c. of the standard, as compared with 76 p.c. last year. In Ontario the condition is 80 p.c. and in Alberta it is 91 p.c. Of the total land intended for next year's crop 53 p.c. was plowed by October 31, the percentage proportions in the West being 40 for Manitoba, compared with 47 last year, 37 for Skatchewan as against 28 and 38 for Alberta as against 21.

Missed All the Fun

"Dad," said the little mail of 12 summers, "every morning when I go to school the boys catch hold of me and kiss me."

"Well, Ethel," replied dad, "why don't you run away from them?"

Ethel fidgeted and cast her eyes down on the carpet.

"I did one morning," she said hesitatingly, "and they—they didn't chase me!"—Chicago Herald.

Wants Share of the Fares

There is a dispute between the C.P.R. and the conductors. Just what the point of difference is is not known, but those who know say that the company is demanding a share of the fares.—Saskatoon Star.

Many man has to pocket his pride so often that his trousers get bagged.—Chicago News.

Must Be Given Men's Work

The Bishop of London, presiding in London at a meeting of the Church Aid Society, said one of the incidents in his life which he would never forget was when he addressed 10,000 Canadians before the second battle of Ypres. "The pathos of that gathering is that in three weeks 6,000 of these men had fallen. That sort of thing is a bond between Canada and ourselves which can never be broken. We are looking into the future, into the atmosphere of young flying men, young cavalry and infantry men. Never again must we have young men as footmen in great houses or fingering lace in shops. Those who have learned what a man's life is must have a man's life after the war. Many, I hope, will go out and make their homes in the garden of Canada which we have cherished, as far as we could, in our association at home.

Get What We Pay For

Walter Hepburn, former member of the Plasterers' Union of the days of organized Labor in this city and now an arch-enemy of organized Labor, is causing all sorts of trouble in his role of motion picture censor. In this role, like in that of financial expert, Hepburn has been in hot water, and Attorney-General Farris who appointed him is in hot water also.

There is little that Hepburn doesn't know more about than the next man. Although when he received the job he knew nothing about the motion picture business in a few weeks he learned it all, and can now tell all the operators, managers, producers and even the actresses what to do.

That is a characteristic of Walter that everyone who knows him will recognize.

Although the theatre tax is a miserable piece of taxation, Walter's domineering attitude makes it all the worse.

Nobody would grieve the official decapitation of Walter at this or any other juncture, tho it would mortify Walter deeply, for he loves a political job.—B.C. Federationist

High Prices for Dairy Stock

World's record prices for dairy cattle were made at Wrest Hill Park, Bedfordshire, when the late Lord Lucas' herd was sold. The ninety-two head offered made £17,647, an average of £187 11s 8d, being some £63 above the record average established when Lord Rothschild's herd was sold.

The highest price paid was 810gs, for the five-year-old cow Primrose Dairymaid, a Royal Show-winner. Her dam, Primrose Gift, a Royal Champion, made 750gs. For her son, Premier Gift, 710gs. was paid, and six shorthorns brought 3,710gs. Mr. T. C. Pullingham gave 650gs. for Darlington Daisymaid 11., and for a relative of the same name Captain G. Buxton paid 400gs.

Whose Leg is Pulled?

When the sap begins to rise and the geese begin to mate, we hear the gentle carol of the county candidate. O, he's a jolly fellow and is full of vain conceits, and sees a bosom friend in every man he meets. He asks about your family, your horses and your hogs, and shows a friendly interest in the children and the dogs. O, he's a jolly gentleman, as gamesome as a lamb, as blithesome as a meadow lark, and happy as a clam. His prospects are the brightest and his chances they are sure, and he spends his money freely and he helps the needy poor. He goes to church on Sunday and his pious traits appear, but when it's necessary he will then put up the beer. O, he's a very buoyant duck the jocund candidate, he starts out early in the morn and stays until it's late. His patient wife unlocks the door, and with a look of pain she say's "You needn't lie to me, your leg's been pulled again."

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By the Philosopher-Physician

GEORGE F. BUTLER, A. M., M. D.

Face the battle of life without flinching. Hold up your head and stand erect. Do not dodge the mud balls that are thrown at you by envious competitors. The fact that people talk about you is an indication that you are somebody. Do not dodge or run away; take your medicine! If tests and trials are given you meet them like a man. Remember that tests usually come just before promotion, and the door into the upper room is wide open and waiting for you to enter. Every day is an examination day in whatever way it is presented to you.. We are but scholars in life's school and the Great Teacher knows what is best for us. He understands! So do the best you can in whatever grade you may be in this school of life, for none of us knows when the school will close, or when sickness will interfere with our work. You should be thankful that you are too high for the common herd to reach, and must not worry because people throw stones at you. Do the best you can and don't fret because some one else may do better than you. You have no cause for worry, unless your life fails to bring you up to your highest possible degree of mental development.

CITY OF ENDERBY

Revision of Voters' List Year 1918

NOTICE is hereby given that the first sitting of the Court of Revision will be held at the City Hall, Enderby, on Monday, the 10th day of December, 1917, at 8 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of revising and correcting the Voters' List of the City of Enderby and of the extra-municipal portion of the School District of Enderby, and hearing and determining any application which may then be made to the said Court to strike out the name of any person improperly placed thereon, or to place on such list the name of any person improperly omitted therefrom.

Dated at the City Hall, Enderby, this 29th day of November, 1917.

GRAHAM ROSOMAN,
City Clerk.

LAND REGISTRY ACT
(Section 24)

In the matter of an application for duplicate certificate of title No. 13910a, issued to C. S. Hazelton, covering Part 7.12 acres of Part of Lot 2, subdivision of Part of Lot 226, Map 151, Osoyoos Division, Yale District.

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the date of first publication hereof to issue a duplicate certificate of title covering the above land to C. S. Hazelton unless in the meantime I shall receive valid objection thereto in writing.

Dated at the Land Registry Office Kamloops, B.C., this 8th day of November, A.D., 1917.

C. H. DUNBAR,
District Registrar.

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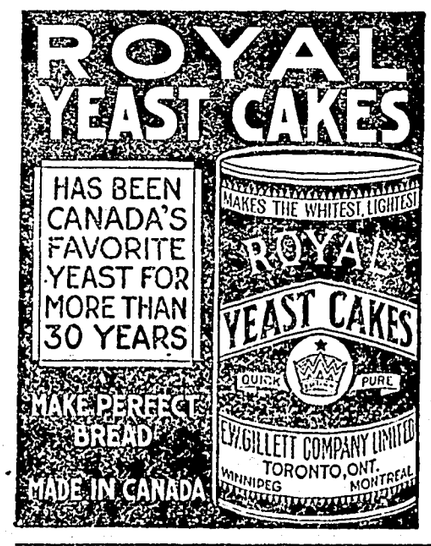

Thanks from Boys at Front

In a lengthy letter to the secretary of the Trench Comfort Club, Corp. J. E. Pacey, writes thanking all Enderby friends for another parcel of comforts received. In the course of his letter, Corp. Pacey says of the 15th of August "scrap": "Coming out after the scrap we found everything upside down for the time being, as was to be expected when so many of our Pats are gone. We went into the scrap at daybreak of the 15th with 700 souls; after the scrap we came out with about 160 left of this battalion so you can grasp an idea of what war is out here. We lost some men alright, but you ought to see what Fritz lost. You would think what we lost was easy along side of him. . . . Yes, I suppose you good people at home are tired of war; so are we. But this war is a business and we have got to stay with it till finished. I don't think any of the boys out here would like to call it quits till we thrash Fritz so badly that he don't know where he is getting off at. Believe me, when the Canadians go into action old Fritz knows it. We spare none, or very few of them whatever. We may take a few prisoners to get information from. Outside of that the rest get the lead or bayonet. Old Fritz is a pretty scared man when he sees a Canadian after him, and he can sure run; but we get him just the same. We always figure to get two if not more of his men for everyone of our's: so that is how the game goes."

Pte. Harry Bogert writes to thank the Club for the last parcel, received Oct. 24th. He says the vermin suit is just what the boys need most, as their little friends or enemies, which ever they may like to be called, are very troublesome.

Pte. Arden Bush writes in thanking the Club: "One cannot imagine the cheer that those little gifts from home so far away bring to us boys; to know that the good people at home still think of us. The parcel was quite a while reaching me, on account of my moving so much, but it arrived in good condition. I have been in France for some time and I like it here pretty well; but of course, there are other places that I like better. However, one must not find fault in these times. I am getting along very well; I have not met any of the Enderby boys since coming here, but have met some of the Vernon boys and others who were in camp with me in Vernon."

Pte. Bush was a member of the 8th Canadian Field Ambulance. His father received a wire last Friday evening reporting his son to have been wounded in action, the left elbow being severely shattered.

Religious Venom in Politics

One of the blackest pages in Canadian history will be that day when religious strife is aroused by politicians in order to influence the vote of the people. When Canada sinks to that level it will be high time for the people to arise and strike the heads off the political demagogues pretending to lead them. There is just the whisper of the religious cry being raised in the present campaign. If the whisper should increase to a loud noise, there will be hell to pay in this Canada of ours, and the men who start the loud noise will be the first to get the portion of hell that will be coming to them. It has been years since Canada had politicians small enough to bring in the religious cry against an opponent, and the pin-heads who now are attempting to do so forget the fact that for fifteen years we had Sir Wilfrid Laurier as Premier of Canada, and we did not hear anything in all that time about the Catholics wanting to rule Canada. Canadians should put their foot upon the neck of that cursed snake coming with the sting of religious venom to add to the troubles of our Dominion.

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PROUD OF OUR BOYS

We are proud of our boys of the Maple Leaf,
Who are fighting for our Motherland dear;
Proud they are fighting for freedom,
And for we women who must stay here;
For we can't go over and help them
We must just work at home:
But we'll do what we can for our heroes
And hope to welcome them safely home.

We are proud of each one of our boys who fell
On the battlefield over the sea,
And tho' our tears oft are falling,
And the use of it all we can't see,
Still we know they are fighting for freedom,
For honor and all that is true;
And though our hearts oft are breaking,
That they went with our cheers we'll not rue.

So we'll work for our boys on the battlefield,
And pray for them here at home;
We'll do what we can for our heroes,
And pray that the day soon will come,
When God will see fit to end it
And bring our boys back to our shore,
To their dear home the Maple Land
And there'll be peace as of yore.

A. M. Large, Hupel.

Pte. Blake Huffman

In a letter to his father, published in the Meyronne, Sask., Independent, Pte. Reg Dyman, a chum of Pte. Blake Huffman, tells of the killing of this brave Enderby boy at the front in Flanders: "Blake Huffman," he says, "was shell-shocked before we advanced in the early morning and it affected him just the opposite to anyone else, and he was continually taking unusual chances instead of being terribly afraid, as all shell-shocked men are. The section that Blake was with bombed out a Heinie machine-gun section and they were running for cover, and Blake chased them all alone for he was clean crazy. There were seven of them and Blake got six before a sniper got him. He was the only one of the 229th boys I knew who was killed."

Another Fox Feature

The first of the Fox feature films shown at the Opera House last Saturday evening, "The Modern Thelma," proved a most acceptable change from the serial which had been running some weeks. Next Saturday evening another Fox photo-drama will be shown, entitled "Slander," with Madame Bertha Kalich in the leading role. Madame Kalich has been named the second Madame Sarah Bernhardt. In "Slander" she is given a part requiring the strongest emotional acting, and critics say it is one of the greatest small photo-plays ever filmed.

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